

NEW ZEALAND.



By His Excellency SIR GEORGE GREY, Knight Commander of
the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and
Commander-in-Chief in and over the Colony of New
Zealand and its Dependencies, and Vice-Admiral of the
same, &c., &c., &c.

BY virtue of the Power and Authority in me vested by an Act of the General
Assembly of the Colony of New Zealand, intituled *"the Militia Act 1858"*

and reposing especial Trust and Confidence in your Loyalty, Courage, and Good
Conduct: I do hereby nominate, constitute, and appoint you

Charles Brown

to be *Major* in the *Taranaki Militia*

You are therefore carefully and diligently to discharge all the duties of
Major in the said *Militia* :—and the Officers
of inferior degree to yourself—and the Soldiers—are hereby respectively commanded to
obey you as their *Major* ; and you are to observe and follow all
such lawful Orders and Directions as—from time to time—you may receive from me,
or the Officer administering Her Majesty's Government in this Colony, for the time
being; or from any other your Superior Officer, for the Public Service.

Given under my Hand, and issued under the Public Seal of
the Colony, at Government House, Auckland, this
seventeenth day of *November* in
the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred
Sixty four



By His Excellency's Command,

Frederick